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SECRET [REDACTED]

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FOR: LT. GEN. SCOWCROFT, WHITE HOUSE

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FOLLOWING ARE COPIES, FOR YOUR RECORDS, OF TWO MESSAGES SENT

[REDACTED] TO SECRETARY KISSINGER FROM DIRECTOR COLBY
CONCERNING KURDISH SITUATION. THE FIRST, (A) DATED 10 MARCH,
WAS SENT TO THE SECRETARY [REDACTED] THE SECOND, (B) WAS SENT
TODAY [REDACTED] TO BE DELIVERED TO THE SECRETARY THERE
14 MARCH.

MESSAGE A

"RECOGNIZE THAT SHAH'S RECENT CONCLUDED AGREEMENT WITH
IRAQ LEAVES KURDS IN EXPOSED POSITION, AND SHARE SYMPATHETIC
CONCERNS FOR KURDISH PLIGHT. NEVERTHELESS, BELIEVE COMPLEXITY
OF SITUATION AND CONTINUING MURKINESS OF SOME ASPECTS OF IT
ARGUE FORCEFULLY FOR DEFERRING DECISIONS [REDACTED]

[REDACTED], UNTIL
CLEARER PICTURE EMERGES AND THERE HAS BEEN OPPORTUNITY FOR FULLER
STUDY AND DISCUSSION HERE OF RAMIFICATIONS." E2 IMPDET.

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